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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Re: Rule 1.53(b) New Non-Provisional Patent Application of Stephen Roby
"METHOD FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A VANED DIFFUSER"
Atty. Ref: DKT03002US

Dear Sir:

This is a request under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) for filing a new non-provisional application for U.S. Patent entitled **METHOD FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A VANED DIFFUSER**.

We enclose a copy of the specification, claims, abstract, four (4) sheets of formal drawings, and the Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>13</u>	-	20	=	___	x	\$ 18	=	\$
Independent Claims	<u>2</u>	-	3	=	___	x	\$ 84	=	\$
Base Fee									\$750.00
TOTAL FILING FEE									\$750.00

A check for the statutory fee of **\$750.00** is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0877. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R.

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§§1.16 and 1.17 that may be required during the entire pendency of the application, except for the issue fee, to Deposit Account No. 16-0877.

Respectfully submitted,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Request for a New Application with a check for **\$750.00** for the Basic Filing Fee, specification, claims, abstract, four (4) sheets of formal drawings, Declaration and Power of Attorney, and a return receipt postcard are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. §1.10 on the date indicated and is addressed: **ATTN: MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.**

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